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Not much change in temperature.

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LINDBERGH QUILTS AS COLONEL IN U. S. AIR CORPS RESERVE

Says He Has No Other Alternative in View of Roosevelt's Remarks

WRITES RESIGNATION

Had Hopes of Exercising His Rights As Citizen To Express Viewpoint

By International News Service

NEW YORK, Apr. 28.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh today resigned his commission as colonel in the U. S. Army Air Corps Reserve because of the remarks made by President Roosevelt concerning the famous flyer's loyalty at his press conference last Friday.

Lindbergh's decision to sever his official connection with the air corps reserve was made known in a formal letter to the President.

The letter follows in part:

"My dear Mr. President:
"Your remarks at the White House press conference on April 25, involving my reserve commission in the U. S. Army Air Corps, have of course disturbed me greatly.

"I had hopes that I might exercise my right, as an American citizen, to place my viewpoint before the people of my country in time of peace, without giving up the privilege of serving my country as an air corps officer in the event of war.

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William P. Fabian Dies; Had Been Ill Short Time

TULLYTOWN, Apr. 28.—William P. Fabian, who had throughout his life time followed farming here, died late Saturday evening, a few hours after being admitted to Harriman Hospital, Bristol.

Mr. Fabian, 68, was stricken during the course of a public sale of goods at his farm. As he left the sale site en route to the house he fell, having suffered a stroke. Relatives are of the opinion that excitement of the sale aggravated his condition.

The deceased was the son of the late James L. and Mary E. Fabian (nee Stinson). He leaves a sister, Mrs. Margaret Hibbs, Morrisville; and several nieces and nephews.

The Rev. Francis H. Smith, rector of All Saints Memorial Church, Fallington, will officiate at the funeral service on Wednesday at two p. m., at the late home of the deceased. Burial will take place in Bristol Cemetery, and friends may call Tuesday evening.

William G. Webster, Aged Tullytown Resident, Dies

TULLYTOWN, Apr. 28.—William G. Webster, husband of the late Emma Webster, died at his home here on Saturday morning.

The aged man is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Clara Mabery, with whom he made his home; a son, Harry Webster, Philadelphia; and several brothers.

He had been ill about for four years. The Rev. Samuel Gaskell, pastor of Tullytown Methodist Church, will conduct the service on Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock from the Mabery residence. Burial will be made in Beechwood Cemetery with George Molden, funeral director, in charge. Friends may call this evening.

LOCAL WEATHER
OBSERVATIONS
FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M.
AT ROHM & HAAS WEATHER OBSERVATORY
BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings
Maximum 68 F
Minimum 46 F
Range 22 F

Hourly Temperatures
8 a. m. yesterday .. 46
9 50
10 55
11 58
12 noon 63
1 p. m. 67
2 67
3 67
4 68
5 67
6 67
7 65
8 62
9 60
10 59
11 56
12 midnight 57
1 a. m. today 56
2 55
3 54
4 53
5 53
6 52
7 54
8 56

P. C. Relative Humidity 44
Precipitation (inches) 0

a. m. Barometric Pressure ins.
8.00 30.25

TIDES AT BRISTOL

(Standard Time)
High water 3.37 a. m.; 3.57 p. m.
Low water 11.01 a. m.; 11.12 p. m.

Miss Sarah Marone Weds
Mr. Dominick Cruciani

A marriage ceremony in St. Ann's Church on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, performed by the Rev. Fr. Peter Pinci, united Miss Sarah Marone, 203 New Brook street, and Mr. Dominick Cruciani, Trenton, N. J. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Marone.

Music for the occasion was provided by Mrs. Rose Flatch, Mill street, vocalist; and Miss Frances Tamburella, organist.

Two bridesmaids were in the wedding procession, the Misses Louise Marone, sister of the bride; and Marian Liberatore, Lincoln avenue.

The bride's costume was of white moire taffeta, entrain; and to a crown of pearls was attached a long white veil. Slippers were in white; and she carried a bouquet of mixed flowers.

The bridesmaids were garbed alike. Their gowns were of rose-toned floral print on a white background, they featuring hoop skirts. White net hats had deep rose-colored streamers. They carried mixed flowers, and wore slippers in tones of rose and white.

Mr. Cruciani, of Trenton, a brother of the groom, was best man; and Mr. Victor Victorina, Beverly, N. J., was the usher for the occasion.

Small receptions took place at both the Marone and the Cruciani homes, after which the newlyweds left for a week's stay in New York City. They will reside in Trenton.

FAMED BOMB SIGHT PLAYS IMPORTANT PART

Norden Sight To Take Key Role In Training U. S. Bombardiers

ARE EXPERT IN 10 DAYS

(Note: The army as an organization is now ready to strike if necessary, reports Griffing Bancroft, INS Staff reporter at Washington, who has just completed a 6,000-mile tour of army posts and other defense installations throughout the country. In a series of six articles, of which this is the fifth, he describes just what has been done and what remains to be done in defense preparation.—INS.)

By Griffing Bancroft

(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)
WASHINGTON, Apr. 28.—(INS)—American army bombardiers after ten days' training can bomb "more accurately than anyone is doing in Europe."

That is what officers at the bomb-training school at Langley Field, Va., Continued On Page Two

Attractive Wedding In St. Ann's Church

When Miss Angela E. Jardine, of 337 Penn street, became the bride of Mr. James Rocco, 506 Pond street, yesterday morning in St. Ann's Church, she was attended by her sister and niece, Miss Betty Jardine, Bristol; and Miss Josephine Siciliano, Philadelphia. The groomsmen for the occasion was Mr. Arthur Rocco, brother of the groom.

Given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Vincent Jardine, the bride was attired in a gown of white velvety sparkle on starched chiffon, entrain. The long sleeves were puffed at the shoulders, and the neck-line was sweetheart shaped. The bodice was trimmed with shirring. She wore a tulle veil, crown of seed pearls and beads, and white satin slippers. As she entered the edifice she carried a white prayer book with shower of small white flowers; and for the recessional she had an arm bouquet of lilies.

The maid of honor, Miss Betty Jardine, and the bridesmaid, Miss Siciliano, were attired in yellow velvety sparkle on starched chiffon. The floor-length skirts were cut full; the necklines were V-shaped, and the short sleeves were puffed. Their poufde blue tulle bonnets were edged with yellow forget-me-nots, with long blue tulle streamers reaching to a point near the floor. Their satin slippers were in poufde blue tone and they carried yellow roses.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rocco, parents of the groom, a wedding breakfast was served to members of the bridal party; with covers arranged for 35 guests at a dinner at the Lido Venice, Andalusia, at one p. m. Small receptions followed at the home of the groom's parents, and also at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Antonio Jardine.

For the honeymoon journey to New York City and Niagara Falls, the former Miss Jardine wore a dress of navy blue with trim of white; coat and accessories of navy blue; and straw hat of the same tone with trim of white flowers. The newlyweds will reside at 348 Penn street.

ENGAGED TO WED

EDGELEY, Apr. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob DeWitte, announced the engagement of their daughter, Helena E., to Vernon E. Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Howell, Dorrance street, Bristol, at a dinner served to the immediate families yesterday.

Miss DeWitte, formerly of Lodi, N. J., is a graduate of Bristol high school, and Banks Business College, Philadelphia. She and Mr. Howell are affiliated with Thos. L. Leedom Co., Bristol.

LATEST NEWS . . .

Received from International News Service Over Special Teletype News Wire.

Report Bodies Being Washed Ashore

Berlin, Apr. 28.—In huge and "un-counted" numbers, the bodies of British and Anzac soldiers are being washed ashore along the Aegean coast, testifying to the success of German attacks against the forces being evacuated from Greece, Nazi military circles said today.

The beaches at Volos, Piraeus and other ports are littered with the remains of British and Australian troops caught abroad fleeing transports and other vessels which were mercilessly bombed by the Luftwaffe, it was said.

At the same time, it was announced, German mechanized legions are sweeping deeper into the Peloponnese following the occupation of Athens, threatening to trap whatever units of the British Expeditionary Force managed to cross the Corinth Canal beneath the unrelenting attack of Nazi dive-bombers.

On the Greek mainland, it was said, the German campaign is virtually finished. Small German detachments are engaged in systematically mopping up scattered enemy units, while the Luftwaffe is keeping up its incessant attacks to prevent any possible reorganization of the battered Greco-British forces.

German military officials continued to insist that the British losses at sea were extremely heavy. Some 700,000 tons of British shipping was sunk, it was claimed.

Italians Evacuate Dessye

Rome, Apr. 28.—Italian forces have evacuated Dessye, Ethiopia, the Italian High Command announced today. The Italian war bulletin also stated that Fascist forces occupied the Greek Island of Corfu in the Ionian Sea.

Heavy Bombing Raids In Germany

London, Apr. 28.—Heavy bombing raids yesterday against Western Germany and various objectives in Nazi-occupied territory were announced by the Air Ministry today. All planes returned to their bases.

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SUNDAY CAR CRASHES INJURE SIX INDIVIDUALS

Sleeve of Coat Catching in The Steering Wheel Blamed For Car Crashing Porch

TWO LOCALITES HURT

The sleeve of his coat catching in the steering wheel of the car he was operating is blamed for loss of control of the car by Michael E. Walker, 647 Bath street, Walker was driving east on Otter street yesterday morning shortly before nine o'clock when the car went up onto the sidewalk and crashed into the porch of the property. Continued On Page Four

12th Anniversary Banquet Held By Rebekah Lodge

Covers were arranged for 60 on Saturday evening, when Lily Rebekah Lodge, No. 356, conducted its 12th anniversary banquet in I. O. O. F. hall. A tempting menu, and pleasing entertainment were in store.

Decorations were in the lodge colors, pink and white; and favors were small wall-clocks. Cut flowers decked the tables.

Harry McCoy served as toastmaster; and the opening solo, "God Bless America," by Mrs. DeKoy Ott, was followed by the invocation by the Rev. W. E. Preston Haas, grand marshal of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, who also made a few remarks.

Entertainment numbers were provided by lodge members, and songs and dancing were enjoyed, with recorded music being provided.

Bouquets of flowers were presented to Mrs. William DeVoe, representative to the Home for the Aged; Mrs. Mary Heaton, representative to the Rebekah Orphanage; and Mrs. Ott, a trustee of the local lodge. A bouquet was also sent to Mrs. Isabel Jackson, a member who is ill.

Games were in order, and the cake-walk was won by Mrs. Jennie Dietrich.

The menu included: Fruit cup, olives, celery, radishes, roast turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, candied sweet potatoes, asparagus, buttered beets, cranberry sauce, hearts of lettuce with Russian dressing, rolls, butter, ice cream, cake, nuts, mints, coffee and tea.

SON FOR NICHOLS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols, Headley Manor, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, April 20th, in the Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia. Mrs. Nichols was formerly Miss Gertrude Dunbar.

Here and There in Bucks County Towns

Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Overpeck, of Wycombe, on Saturday observed the 25th anniversary of their wedding, which had occurred a few days previous.

The celebration took place at the Overbrook residence. They have resided in Wycombe ever since their marriage a half century ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Overpeck have a daughter and a son.

A capacity audience greeted the participants of the play, "Good Glory," presented in the Nockamixon Township high school last week.

The three-act comedy enlisted the efforts of every member of the class in various phases besides taking speaking parts.

Seniors who played the leading roles were Jean Smith, Violet Gruver and Robert Murphy. The remainder of the cast included Elsie Frelsinger, Annie Williams, Gerald Mills, Salome Trouts, Raymond Przyuski, Julian Nagorski, Anna Litschauer and Clarence Berger.

In addition to the leading characters, Hazel Penny, Margaret Sukop, Conrad Mattes and Nester Taber had charge of properties, and the ushers were Carmel Eecher, Kathryn Facht, Martha Morris, Harriet King and Helen Kline.

Vestrymen of St. Luke's Episcopal Church were re-elected as follows at the annual meeting last week: John B. Chambers, C. Wilson Roberts, George A. Hill, Paul Medar, George Ellis, John H. Mitchell, and William J. Ellis.

The vestrymen then met in quarterly session, with the Rev. Lewis Sasse presiding, and elected officers.

Firemen of Doylestown Company have decided to purchase 25 parade uniforms, consisting of military caps, grey poplin shirts, and gray whipcord trousers with black braid.

The firemen have not been accepting parade invitations lately due to lack of such uniforms.

Preparations are being made by Newtown high school students and their teachers for the school fair which will be held in the high school building, May 9. Pupils in the elementary grades will also take part in the fair.

All exhibits, it has been announced, will be in place by one o'clock on the day of the fair, and the judging of them will take place between one and two o'clock. Exhibits will be open to the public from two to 5:30 o'clock and from 6:30 until 9:30 o'clock.

Between two and three o'clock a group of children will stage a fashion show, and from 7:30 until 8:30 o'clock there will be poultry demonstrations. These will be followed by a musicale which will be brought to a conclusion at 9:30 o'clock. The fair will close with a dance which will be in progress from 9:30 until 10:30 o'clock.

TO ASSIST AT CONCERT

R. Joseph Martini, of Bristol, brilliant violin virtuoso, will assist the Princeton University Symphonic Orchestra at the annual concert in the Carter Theatre, Princeton, N. J., on Saturday evening, May 3rd. Program consists of: Marche Militaire Française from "Suite Algérienne" (Saint-Saens); overture, Don Giovanni (Mozart); Beethoven Piano Concerto in G Minor, Edward Coane, soloist; Symphony No. 40 in D Minor (Mozart).

MISS RUTH M. LYNCH IS THE BRIDE OF B. F. KING

CROYDON, Apr. 28.—A group of relatives and friends gathered in the rectory of St. Mark's Church, Bristol, on Saturday at 10 a. m., witnessed the marriage of Miss Wilda A. Leary, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Leary, to Mr. Michael Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, Bristol. The Rev. Father E. Paul Baird officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McVaine, Bristol, uncle and aunt of the bride, were the attendants of the couple.

A moss green crepe ensemble, trimmed in beige, was worn by the bride. Her large brimmed hat had a shoulder veil, and accessories were of beige. She wore a corsage of white rose buds. The matron of honor was attired in a wood violet crepe suit, with hat and shoulder veil in matching shade. Her accessories were of black; and her corsage of pink roses.

The newlyweds left for Atlantic City, N. J., following a dinner at the Leary home, here. Upon their return they will reside on McKinley street, Bristol.

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THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT
(Distributed by McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

"Mental Strain"

Washington, April 26. ONE OF Mr. Roosevelt's journalistic admirers made a highly emotional plea the other day for sympathy for the President because of the "great mental strain" under which he now labors. The argument was that the burdens he bears are so great that they must tax his strength to the utmost; that he is entitled to understanding and support in his effort to win the war by aiding the British and erecting here an impenetrable defense.

OF course he is. But certainly the understanding ought to be clear and the support should not be along lines calculated to diminish the effectiveness of his effort and frustrate his own purpose. Many who are in complete accord with the Roosevelt foreign policy but not at all in accord with his domestic policies are deeply worried, from the standpoint of the national interests, about the "mental strain" to which he is subjected and appreciate fully the pressure upon his time. For both these, as well as his "all-out" followers, the most effective form of sympathy and support would seem to be in trying to lessen the President's "mental strain" and to conserve his time.

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Bristol Young Woman Weds Trenton Man

Miss Josephine Gentilucci, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Gentilucci, 316 Brook street, became the bride of a Trenton, N. J., resident, Mr. Peter Damiani, son of Mr. Sylvester Damiani, North Radcliffe street, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. The Rev. Fr. Peter Pinci officiated at the ceremony in St. Ann's Church; with Miss Frances Tamburella serving as organist, and Mr. Joseph Galzerano as vocalist.

Miss Erminda Gentilucci, sister of the bride, and Mr. Michael Damiani, Trenton, brother of the groom, attended the couple.

The gown worn by the bride was made of white satin, it having a V-neckline, long sleeves, shirred bodice, and long full skirt with a lengthy train. Her white tulle veil, edged with lace, was attached to a wreath of orange blossoms. She wore white satin slippers and carried Easter lilies.

The bridesmaid was attired in aqua tone, the gown having a marquisette skirt, and the bodice and short sleeves being of spangle. The skirt was floor-length and cut full. Her matching hat had streamers and flowers in the same color tone; slippers were of aqua satin, and she carried an arm bouquet of yellow tea roses.

Following a small reception at the Gentilucci home, Mr. Damiani and bride left for a week's trip to Washington, D. C. They will take up residence at 496 Princeton avenue, Trenton.

850 PERSONS USED LIBRARY READING ROOM

Annual Report of President Anderson Submitted To Shareholders

1307 MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Books of the Bristol Free Library had a total circulation of 24,789 during 1940 and there were 1,307 membership cards issued and 850 persons used the library reading room during the year.

The Book Committee added 500 books during 1940. Number of books donated 100 making a total of 600 books.

The Library subscribes to the following magazines: Popular Mechanics, National Geographic, Saturday Evening Post, Harper's Bazaar, Good Housekeeping, Atlantic Monthly, Cosmopolitan, Time.

The following magazines were donated: Hygeia, by Doctors of Bucks County Medical Association; Elks Magazine, by Bristol Lodge, No. 970, B. P. O. E.

Number of books re-bound, 500.

"The Finance Committee was greatly disappointed in the apparent lack of interest on the part of the public, as shown in the response to the call for contributions. A small contribution by the readers alone, would help wonderfully in keeping the Library apace with the demands," states the annual report of Clifford L. Anderson, president.

"Your Board of Managers continues to express its thanks to Senator Joseph R. Grundy for arranging for a

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Fashion Show and Tea Are Given by Students

YARDLEY, Apr. 28.—More than 60 members of the Yardley Civic Club and mothers of the students of the Yardley high school, attended the second annual fashion show and tea given by the domestic science department of the school, under the direction of Miss Thelma Price.

Miss Evelyn Borden, as Miss Fashion, introduced the girls in the order of their appearance, each girl wearing the clothes which she had made during the year's course.

Those taking part were: Dolly Smith, Marguerite Marion, Audrey Gallagher, Mary Gannon, Mildred Jackson, Dorothy Thompson, Virena Bennett, Evelyn Wetzstein, Agnes Marion, Helen DiNo, Lucille McKenna, Genevieve Barbour, Helen Conlon, Marguerite Marion, Mary Evelyn Holeslaw, Mary Jane Wright, Jean Melton, Betty Tallman, Alice Loef, Lena Galoway, Kathryn Batt, Dorothy Conlon, Mildred Dillplane, Ruth Jackson, Ann Lupacchini, Vivian MacDonnell, Marie Neaman, Isabel Pennman, Dorothy Sands, Beatrice Smith, Alice Thompson, Jean Vaughn, Thelma Wetzstein, Alice Neel, Dorothy Cadwallader, Eleanor Daugherty, Consuelo Cadwallader, Marguerite Marion, Alice Worell, Mildred Marvill, Dolly Smith, Alma Drager, and Dorothy Miller.

With Mrs. Robert M. Barbour, Mrs. D. Taylor Ivins and Mrs. Walter H. Thompson as judges, appropriate pins were awarded for merit in the work done, by Miss Mildred Marvel, Miss Marguerite Marion and Miss Ruth Jackson.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY MEETS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Harriman Methodist Church, met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Bonham, Wilson avenue, with Mrs. Bonham and Mrs. Borden Gillis as hostesses. The new officers for the year are: Mrs. Irving Scheffey, Jr. president; Mrs. Borden Gillis, vice-president; Mrs. Donald Moyer, secretary; Mrs. George Bonham, treasurer. Refreshments were served.

THREE DIVORCE SUITS ARE FILED AND ONE SUIT FOR DAMAGES

Miss Alice M. Cope, of Wycombe, Names Virdy Callahan Defendant

RESULT OF AUTO CRASH

One Divorce Suit Is Filed By A Resident of Edgely

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 28.—Three libels in divorce and a suit for damages have been filed in the Court of Common Pleas.

Claiming damages, Miss Alice M. Cope, of Wycombe, has named Virdy Callahan, alias Virdy Callahan, of Rushland, the defendant, in an action in trespass.

According to the statement of claim filed in the office of Prothonotary Ezra Miller, the plaintiff, Miss Cope alleges that she was operating a car December 19, 1939, when it figured in a collision, near Penns Park, with a car driven by the defendant.

Miss Cope, who says her claim includes two nurses' bills and a physician's bill, also claims a sum outright for injuries received. She also claims the sum of \$2,000 for injuries sustained which prevent her from keeping house as efficiently for her father, Clinton Cope, as prior to the accident in which her mother was killed.

In the three libels in divorce filed here, two men and one woman seek their freedom.

In the first libel, Marguerite Elizabeth Deppe has charged her husband, Alfred Joseph Deppe, with desertion March 15, 1939. According to the libellant, who resides at 1316 Pond street, Bristol, they were married

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Games of Pinochle and "500" Enjoyed by Many

The Catholic Daughters of America, held a card party Saturday evening in the K. of C. Home. Mrs. Stacy Cullen was chairman, and there were 16 tables of players.

High scorers in pinochle were: Florence Gallagher, 783; Fred Leyden, 779; Miss Gertrude Roche, 775; Miss Marie Gaffney, 775; Miss Angeline Ritey, 773.

In "500" M. Harkins, 3550; Mrs. E. Hetherington, 3320; Mrs. Thomas Burns, 3140; Mrs. William Ennis, 2650. Refreshments were served.

Hunter Case Scheduled To Be Resumed Today

DOYLESTOWN, Apr. 28.—The case of Norman N. Booker against Ronald A. Hunter, also known as Rex A. Hunter and Hunter Manufacturing Company, which has been on trial in the Bucks County Civil Court, was scheduled to be resumed today.

A jury in the Bucks County Civil Court awarded \$8600 damages to Theodore L. Badger, West Rockhill Township farmer, in a suit against Benjamin F. Farrell, of Sellersville.

The case was tried before a jury and President Judge Hiram H. Keller, the plaintiff, Badger and his wife, Mary Badger, were represented by C. William Freed, Quakertown, and the defendant by John Ross, Doylestown. In the case of Mary Badger a verdict in favor of the defendant was returned.

Badger was injured in an automobile accident near the Montgomeryville intersection of the Bethlehem pike and Norristown road, on July 6, 1940. He was quite seriously injured and taken to the Elm Terrace Hospital, Lansdale, where Dr. Frank E. Boston, Elm Terrace head surgeon, performed several operations on the plaintiff.

Restored Pennsbury Manor Visited by D. A. R. Group

Miss Mary L. Johnston, regent of General Washington Chapter, D. A. R., of Trenton, N. J., acted as hostess to a number of members of Acquackanonk Landing Chapter, Wednesday, on their pilgrimage to historic sites in Pennsylvania.

A visit was made to Pennsbury Manor to see the reconstruction work at the home of William Penn, built in 1683, which is part of a plan to restore historical sites by the State of Pennsylvania, and has been carried out under the supervision of members of the "Welcome Society," comprised of descendants of men and women who came to the United States in 1682 with William Penn on the ship "Welcome." The project has been carried out similar to the Williamsburg restoration.

Attending were: Mrs. Reginald H. Morgan, Jr., regent of Acquackanonk Landing Chapter; Mrs. E. E. Poor, first vice-regent; Mrs. Charles Rice, of New York; Miss Lucille Green, Mrs. Frederick B. Conant, Mrs. Austin D. Walling, Miss Emma Spencer, Mrs. Norman Brasler, Mrs. Genevieve Dayenport, Mrs. Fred Vosburgh, Mrs. Arthur Dunkerley, Miss Blanche Crawford, Mrs. Frank Fabrey, Mrs. William H. Steinberg, Mrs. Richard T. Anderson, of Lawrenceville; Miss Margaret Leonard and Mrs. Joseph Grundy, junior, chairman.

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AMERICAN PLANES BETTER

A German Messerschmitt fighter plane shot down—presumably—in England landed in such condition that all vital parts were intact, and was immediately shipped to the United States for examination by aviation plant engineers. The result is of course interesting.

The ship, a two-engine model, was dissected at the Vultee plant in California and was found to be better than expected but not as good as the machines of comparable type currently being turned out by American factories. It was particularly lacking in protection for pilots, which may explain, at least to some extent, why British airmen shoot down so many more German fighters than they lose themselves.

While there is no radical difference in design as compared to American planes, close scrutiny by Vultee engineers has disclosed what they believe are some points in which the German design speeds mass production. Parts are more interchangeable than in American planes, a disadvantage of their product which British and American manufacturers are now rapidly eliminating.

The Messerschmitt has a range of five or six hours and a top speed of 375 miles per hour. The model examined was equipped with a fine set of instruments, a substantial radio set, five machine guns and two cannons.

The conclusion appears to be inescapable that Germany's vaunted superiority in the air is due not to superiority of equipment or personnel, but because such superiority does not exist, but entirely to application of mass manufacturing methods which America and Britain have not been able to duplicate to date.

BILLION FOR CANAL

A joint resolution before Congress calls for converting the Panama Canal into a sea level waterway. That means clearing out the locks of the present canal and reducing the danger of closing it by bombing.

The demands of national defense have brought the question up, but not for the first time. The ill-fated French project to build a canal across the Isthmus of Panama, begun in 1883, contemplated a sea level canal. The studies of the Isthmian Canal Commission, created by Congress to study the situation when the French gave up, favored the sea level plan.

This opinion was also reached by an engineering commission named to check the report. It found that a sea level canal would cost more to build, but would be cheaper in the end. Congress decided in favor of the lock canal, cost \$187,000,000, and against the sea-level system, which it is estimated would have cost \$250,000,000.

Current estimate of the cost of converting the Canal into a level sea way now is \$1,000,000,000. Thus the \$63,000,000 that Congress thought it saved in 1905 by overriding the verdict of experts turns up as a great folly.

When a humorist stops being funny, he probably has a new wife who goes on the warpath when he kids her or mentions relatives.

It is hard to realize how a woman can suffer until she is observed watching her swell dinner grow cold because her guests are late.

Beware the man who crawls to win favor. If he ever gets on top, he gets even by making others crawl.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol July 31, 1879. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

John R. Stackhouse has been appointed justice of the peace for Bristol Township, in place of Jesse L. Stackhouse, deceased. The appointment was made by Gov. Hoyt. Mr. Stackhouse will hold the office until the February election, when his successor will be elected by the people. It is very probable that he will be his own successor.

The spiritualist camp meeting at Neshaminy Falls Grove was visited last Sunday by several Bristolians, who report that there were about 5,000 persons on the ground during the day. But although so many people were present, good order was maintained and the exercises were of an interesting character.

Edward Baker has 12 acres of tobacco planted on the old Badger Farm in Bristol Township.

The rod and the weather vane on the Town House will probably have to be taken down as the cost of straightening it will be more than it is worth.

Last week, S. Headley King, of Bristol Township, fell from his hay mow, a distance of nearly 20 feet, and injured himself quite seriously.

Charles Crosson, of Emille, was recently run over by a loaded wagon. The vehicle passed over the side of his face, breaking the jawbone in two places. His case is very critical, although one of the physicians think he may recover.

The "Edwin Forrest" on Tuesday got aground on a bar in the neighborhood of Trenton, and in the herculean efforts

made to get the steamer afloat, some of the machinery broke, and the assistance of a tug had to be secured to tow the crippled boat down the river.

An institution which if properly managed, would be well patronized in our borough is a public bath. There is no lack of water in our neighborhood, so there could be no objection on that score.

Our water ily vendors have been trying to invade our neighboring state. Their success may be judged by the following from the last issue of the Burlington Enterprise: "On Wednesday of last week a small boy from Bristol came here to sell our citizens some water-lilies, but was duly notified that the ordinance to protect merchants from outside competition made it necessary for him to take out a license before he could sell his wares in this city."

On Saturday last, Russell, son of William R. Vandegraft, of Newportville, went into the cellar after a hammer, standing on a barrel to reach it, the barrel slipped from under him, when his arm caught in a meat hook in the joist, causing a terrible wound; drawing himself up with the other hand, he succeeded in releasing himself from his terrible situation.

Josiah Smith, one of the Kansas colonists, has returned to Bristol, and Richard E. Shaw and others who went with him are said to contemplate following Smith's example. They will all be home in time for the census of 1880.

The John A. Warner, which naturally seems to belong to Bristol, arrived here from Florence and Penn Valley, yesterday morning, with 300 or more persons aboard, and from the throng of people on the wharf awaiting her arrival, a reinforcement of over 200 was added to her load of passengers. About 150 people got on at Burlington, and when the city was reached the number of excursionists transferred to the Republic must have been in the neighborhood of 350.

The Great Game of Politics

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Instead, disregarding the experience of the past and the counsel of his wisest friends, he has chosen to hold all the power in his own hands and delegate none. This means that he is forced to handle many details, and make many decisions which could be handled better by others, and would be if they were given the chance. The other duties of the President literally make it impossible for him competently to cope with defense details and at the same time concentrate on the great questions of policy, the decisions on which must be his.

THE attempt to do both is clearly bad. The result not only is more "mental strain" than Mr. Roosevelt ought to have but vastly more confusion in the whole organization than should exist. Not only is the program impeded because it is incompetently directed but the President himself is carrying utterly unnecessary burdens. This is so clear that no informed man in Washington would dispute it. Yet no amount of advice or pressure has been able to induce Mr. Roosevelt to yield any part of his burden to anyone else.

THE way he is doing this job just does not make sense. It not only impairs his own personal efficiency

in handling the larger questions of policy but it muddles up and slows down the whole defense effort, because no one save himself is given power to decide anything. The case of Mr. Hopkins is an illustration. A short time ago it was announced that Mr. Hopkins would be in charge of the lease-lend operations. All the Administration journalists played him up as being the special representative of the President with power to act. There was some resentment over the selection of a physically weak, generally incompetent and politically minded man for so great a task, but the fact that he was to have a great deal of power was accepted.

BUT now that seems to be all wrong. The President himself has said that newspaper reports of the importance of Mr. Hopkins' new position have been "greatly exaggerated." They are, he irritably told friends, "just not true." "Harry isn't," he explained, "going to make the decisions. I'm going to make the decisions. All Harry's going to do is keep the books." There you are. He isn't going to trust even his "bosom friend" to relieve him of any "mental strain." Apparently the chief purpose of the Hopkins appointment was to give the President's friend a \$10,000 job, which, considering that he lives free at the White House, is not bad—for Mr. Hopkins.

UNDER the circumstances, it seems a little bit ridiculous to take people to task for not sympathizing with Mr. Roosevelt's "mental strain" when so much of it is his own fault. Nor is it easy to be concerned about the pressure on him for time when he wastes forty minutes in flippant wisecracks at a press conference and messes himself up with a lot of details with which, for his own sake and that of the program, he should have nothing at all to do.

IF the President could be persuaded to straighten out the kinks in his thinking and adopt the obviously logical, practical and tested course—for dealing with the great problems which press on him, he would get—and deserve—a great deal more sympathy than now. As for support, he will get that, anyhow, because he is President of the United States and there is nothing else to do. Nevertheless, it is a thing to worry about—this insistence of a President upon unnecessarily straining himself at the expense of the national interests and at the risk of the great cause he seeks to promote. But sympathy is hardly the right reaction to such an exhibition of shallow stubbornness by the head of the nation in so critical a period.

850 Persons Used Library Reading Room

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home for the library, and also for his generous contribution.

"The Board also extends its appreciation for the capable and efficient manner in which the Librarian, Miss Rogers, and her assistants, have conducted the operation of the library."

Mr. Anderson was re-elected president and Mrs. Grace S. Williams was re-elected secretary and treasurer at a meeting of the shareholders, Thursday evening.

COLLEGE 116 YEARS OLD

SHREVEPORT, La.—(INS)—A history student, roaming through the halls of Centenary College, found an inscription that Centenary was founded in 1825. A perusal of old educational institutions in early America revealed that no other college had been founded west of the Mississippi River up to that time. Centenary now claims that distinction.

Famed Bomb Sight Plays Important Part

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will tell you. It is not the men, they say, but this country's famed Norden bomb sight.

This instrument is probably the army's most carefully guarded military secret, and officers insist that no other country, including England, has the use of it. Details of how it works are definitely not told. It is an automatic instrument which requires nothing more of the bombardier than that he set it properly for all the factors involved—altitude, speed of the plane and the target, direction, wind, etc.

In constant tests at the field, 50 per cent of bombs are dropped in a 100-foot circle from the highest altitudes. The words of one flying colonel sums up what the army thinks about this equipment:

"We feel," he said, "that we can't do it any d— thing from any reasonable flying with this bomb sight."

The precautions taken to prevent the sight from falling into unfriendly hands are almost fantastic. The instrument proper is taken from the plane at very landing, carried by the bombardier, who is armed with a pistol, into double locked vault where armed guards patrol 24 hours a day.

The air corps has been handicapped a training bombardiers by lack of equipment, but the program is now beginning to roll. Most of the men are obtained from the army's network of flying schools which soon are to start training out 30,000 pilots a year.

Roughly half of the men who enter these schools do not, for one reason or another, finish the training and qualify as military pilots. Bombardiers, navigators, radio men and other types

olders, are obtained from the group which fails to become pilots proper.

Some idea of the immensity of the 10,000-a-year pilot training program may be gathered from cold statistics: these flying cadets will need 10,000 training planes, will wear out 15,000 plane engines, and will burn 168,000,000 gallons of gasoline just learning to fly.

Army pilots now get a nine-month course divided into three phases each of ten weeks:

They are trained first in civilian schools on 200 horse power planes. Then they go to the basic schools—such as Randolph Field, Tex.—where they fly with 400 horse power planes. Those who complete this, move on to the advanced schools, such as Kelly Field, Tex., where they train with higher powered planes and are taught to use their ship as a military weapon as well as a flying machine.

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CHANGE OF HOURS
In accordance with the regulations of the Philadelphia Clearing House Assn., the Board of Directors of The Bristol Trust Co., Bristol, Pa., has changed the hours and the office of the company will be open for business from 8:30 a. m. to 2 p. m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays of each week; on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 11 a. m. and on Friday evenings from 6 p. m. to 8 p. m. Eastern Standard Time, from April 28, 1941 to Sept. 27th, 1941, inclusive, except days designated as legal holidays.
LESTER D. THORNE, Secretary.

NOTICE

DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME
The Board of Directors of the FARMERS NATIONAL BANK OF BRISTOL COUNTY, Bristol, Pa., will change the banking hours to conform with the time adopted by the Philadelphia Clearing House Association, from Monday, April 28th, 1941 to Saturday, September 27th, 1941. Sundays, holidays and Saturdays excepted, this bank will be open from 8:30 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. Standard time. Saturdays of the same period, from 8:00 a. m. to 11 a. m. Standard time, and in addition Friday evenings from 6:00 p. m. to 8:00 p. m. Standard time.
THOMAS SCOTT, Cashier.

BUDGET NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, at a meeting held April 9, 1941, the Bristol Borough School Board adopted a tentative budget covering estimated receipts and proposed expenditures for the school year beginning July 1, 1941, and ending June 30, 1942. A copy of said budget is on file in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Bristol High School, Wilson Ave. and Garfield St., Bristol, Pa., where it may be inspected and examined at any time during school hours or by appointment at other hours. Final action on said budget will be taken at the meeting of the School Board to be held Tuesday, May 6, 1941, at 8 P. M. (D. S. T.).
PAUL V. FOISTER, Secretary.

PROPOSAL

The School District of Bristol Township is receiving sealed proposals for the erection and construction of a new Junior High School building on Rogers Road, Bristol Township, in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by Savery, Scheetz and Gilmore, Architects, 1326 Stephen Girard building, 21 S. 12th street, Philadelphia, Penna.

Proposals may be submitted for the general construction, heating, cooling and ventilating work, plumbing work, electrical work, and sewage disposal. Plans and specifications may be seen and obtained at the office of the architect, above named on May 12, 1941. All proposals shall be signed, sealed, addressed and delivered to the office of the architect, on or before 4:00 P. M. Tuesday, May 27, 1941.

The bids will be opened at the Maple Shade school, Newport road, Bristol Township, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, May 27, 1941, at 8:00 P. M. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Deposit as listed below will be required for each set of drawings and specifications, take and same will be refunded within three (3) days provided a bona fide bid has been received from the contractor obtaining the plans and that the drawings and specifications are returned in good condition.

Deposit—General, \$25.00; Plumbing, \$15.00; Heating and Ventilating Work, \$15.00; Electrical, \$15.00; Sewage Disposal, \$15.00.

If a bona fide bid or return plans and specifications, Ten Dollars (\$10.00) will be retained from the deposit money by the architect. Should any contractor desire more than one set of drawings and specifications, a charge of \$10.00 will be made for each additional set taken out—no refund.

By Order of the Board
ARTHUR SEYFERT, Secretary.

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Real Estate for Rent

Rooms without Board 6-
3 FURNISHED BEDROOMS—For rent; also single garage. Reas. Apply No. 1 Venice Ave. or phone Bristol 3072.

Houses for Rent 7-
ON EMILIE AND DURHAM RDS.—8 room house. Furnished or unfurnished. Gas & electric. Ideal home. Apply to Mary C. Boyle, 2010 E. Madison St., Phila., Pa.

Real Estate for Sale

Buildings for Sale 84-A
2 STORY BRICK BUILDING—30'x90'; concrete basement under entire building. H. W. H. Located at 913 Wood St., Bristol, Pa. Will sell reasonable. Inquire of William Udyke, Trustee, 918 Cedar St., Bristol, Pa.

To Exchange—Real Estate 88
WILL EXCHANGE—8-room house in Frankford, having bath, cooking kitchen, enclosed porch, hot water heat; work shop in rear, for small house in Andalusia or vicinity. Write Box No. 97, Andalusia Post Office.

Classified Advertising Department

Announcements

Deaths 1

LOVETT—At Bristol, Pa., April 25, 1941, Howard L., husband of Elsie Betz Lovett. Relatives and friends, also Bristol Lodge No. 970, B. P. O. E., and Fidelity Council No. 21, F. P. A., are invited to attend the funeral from the Ruch Funeral Home, 314 Cedar St., Bristol, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening.

WEBSTER—At Tullytown, Pa., April 26, 1941, William G., husband of the late Emma Webster. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral on Tuesday at 2 p. m., d. s. t. from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. James L. Mabery, Main street, Tullytown, Pa. Interment Beechwood Cemetery, Hultsville. Friends may call Monday evening.

Cards of Thanks 2

WE WISH TO THANK—All those who sent floral tokens, automobiles, cards, also the neighbors who were so kind in our recent bereavement.
THE GORMAN FAMILY

Funeral Directors 5

MOLDEN FUNERAL SERVICE—Bristol, Pa. Modern chapel for your convenience. Phone 2217 or 2169.

UNDERTAKER—William I. Murphy, Estate, 316 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

Personals 7

CONFUCIUS SAY—"He who sign fuel oil contract hastily pay dearly."

Strayed, Lost, Found 10

LOST—Wallet, Saturday night on Mill St. near Radcliffe. Cont. license, owner's cards, etc. Keep money and return wallet. Send to P. O. Box 33, Eddington or phone Corn. 115.

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BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection: Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morrisville.

Wanted—Automotive 17

WE PAY—Highest cash prices for late model cars. If you owe money on your car we pay finance company and give you the balance. Nadler's Super Service Station, phone 3567.

Business Service

Building and Contracting 19

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey. Phone Bristol 7125.

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OIL BURNERS—Hot water heat. Plumbing. Nothing down, 3 years to pay. Barth, Crofton, Bristol 7575.

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RADIO REPAIRS—On all makes and models. Prof's Radio Shop, 211 Mth.

A NEW SERVICE—Don't wait indefinitely for serv. on that small job. Ph. 2400. Robt. Crowell, builder of homes.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female 32

COMPANION WANTED—For middle-aged sick woman, small pay, home as object in view. Apply Mrs. Wischer, 309 Dorrance St.

WOMAN—For housekeeping. Write Box 7, Eddington, Pa.

GIRL—For general housework, 2 in family. Over 21. Apply to Mrs. John Coyne, Cedar Ave. & R. R., Crofton.

Help Wanted—Male 33

STEADY WORK—GOOD PAY—Reliable man wanted to call on farmers in Bucks County. No experience or capital required. Write McNess Co., Candler Bldg., Baltimore, Md.

A YOUNG MAN—To take and deliver grocery orders. Apply Manor Market, Crofton Manor, or ph. Bristol 3262.

WATKINS ROUTE—In Bristol for honest man or woman. Full or part time. Good earnings. Business established. No investment required. Write Dept. C, 231 Johnson Ave., Newark, N. J.

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Building Materials 53

FILL DIRT—And top soil. Phone Bristol 2597.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizer 56

LEGAL COAL—All sizes, summer orders taken with summer prices. Also general hauling. Harmon W. Richardson, phone Bristol 7352.

Household Goods 59

REFRIGERATOR—Porcelain lined, oak finish, 2 doors, \$6. Good cond. Apply Mrs. Hibbs, 712 Hendley St.

BATHTUB—5'x30"; you haul. \$6.00. Barth, Christy Ave. at State Road, Crofton.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers 63

POTTED TOMATO, PEPPER, EGG—plants, cabbage, asters, marigolds, petunias, boxwood, Japanese iris, Shaw's Greenhouse, Hultsville. Hulme, 756.

Specials at the Stores 64

SHORT STEAKS, 29c—Pork roll 25c, corn beef 15c lb up; brains and tongues; hearts & fresh liver; sweet breads; ground meat 15c. John Smith, Pond street.

Wanted—To Buy 66

ADJUSTABLE BED—For invalid. Must be in good condition and reasonable. 621 Bath St.

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"THE GORGON'S MASK" by Van Wyck Mason

SYNOPSIS

To the very rim of the Shanghai-Fientsin-Hongkong Far East war threat zone goes Capt. Hugh North to work "on the inside" for peace in the guise of Howard Nevins, big game hunter. Within the hour of his arrival at Honolulu he is warned via phone by a woman's voice to return to the States. That he attends a gay party ten years later, Abner Polk, wealthy, clean, Alluring Phedre Renoire, hostess; Baron von Rentner, German industrialist; and Hideyo Kanamura, Japanese merchant, attract North's special attention. The party ends when the corpse of an unknown nude beauty comes in on the tide to the gayly illuminated coast. Later, North exorcises Coast Artillery Lieut. Wilson Clark for neglect of duty. The latter pleads his love for a mysterious Nadia Stefan, but North orders him to take a boat for the United States, that very night. North and Bruce Kilgour, British intelligence major, discuss in detail the nude corpse mystery. Kilgour has just asked:

CHAPTER NINE

"It wasn't an accident then?" North snorted. "Of course not! There was some purpose back of her murder. Who was intended to see the body? What was its presence to prove? When I can answer that, I'll have solved the first step in my problem. By the way, what do you make of Phedre Renoire's reactions?"

"Phedre La Tour, you mean," granted Kilgour, draining the last of his whiskey and soda. "Oh, don't pretend you didn't recognize her."

North sent a precise, gray ring drifting towards the ceiling. "At first, she's aged a lot since last fall when La Tour dropped out of sight."

"Yes, she does seem to have been knocked about a bit. Ever find out what became of La Tour?"

"No. Heard rumors that he was somewhere in Russia, but that was over a year ago. I wonder what her part is in the game here?"

"Routine, keeping an eye out for Quail O'rsal's interests, I suppose." North fixed his companion with a searching regard and said impressively, "Why do you think she went so far to become so close to Abner Polk? For La belle France?"

"Can't imagine. She was always pretty straight-laced."

"Wouldn't that argue personal feelings in it somewhere?" gloomily demanded the American. "Well, let it go. Now of course Kanamura's in it up to the ears."

"Is he working for war or against it?" Kilgour wanted to know.

"Haven't the foggiest idea—but I'd lay ten to one that he and the murdered woman had something in common."

North lapsed into silence, then delved into an inner pocket and drew out an envelope from which he removed a small object.

Kilgour's bright blue eyes kindled as he got to his feet.

"Stout fellow," he muttered. "I was wondering when you'd trot that out. What is it?"

"Frankly I don't know—haven't looked at it yet." North glanced at the object on the table with a small scowl.

Still secured to one shank of a bronze hairpin by two tiny black silk threads. Together they bent over the table.

Using a penknife which proved to be almost razor-sharp, North severed the tiny threads of silk, but took care to preserve them.

"Hope it's written in India ink," Kilgour muttered tensely and it was. When the little strip of soggy paper lay smoothed out on a clean

white blotter, a series of letters stared up with satisfactory sharpness:

ADXXQD
NFQFMHCFZQS
DDMLZHLZRSJDRSQFESL

"Blight the luck!" groaned Kilgour, "cipher, of course, and not much of it. But I'll have a go at this later. I've always been batty on codes."



"Blight the luck!" deplored Kilgour as North fingered the tiny paper. "Cipher, of course, and not much of it."

Over North's features crept a reminiscent smile. "I remember. Only batty enough to break the German High Fleet's Green code."

The Englishman flushed a little. "Oh, that was luck, pure luck. But with so little to go on, I doubt if I can get far with this." He got to his feet after jotting down a copy of the letters.

Suddenly, the intelligence captain asked, "Do you know of anyone in town who is on an intimate friendly basis with Abner Polk?"

"Why, yes, there is a girl in town—a perfectly ripping English girl whom Polk used to see a good deal. Of course he's been away, but I'm sure he'd be glad to see Betty Belknap again."

"She's reliable?"

Kilgour heaved a weary sigh and raised a quizzical eyebrow. "Naturally. But why do you plan to ring in a girl on this case? Thought you didn't like 'em for intelligence work."

"I don't," the American replied promptly. "Women are fascinating creatures—bright ornaments to a dreary world—but they don't belong in espionage. Too emotional, Bruce—count on 'em and they fall in love. No, I merely

PARTIES

SOCIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITIES

Dr. Henry Haring Stover
And Miss Colette Keller Wed

LANGHORNE, Apr. 28 — The marriage of Miss Colette A. Keller, a member of the faculty of The Woods School, to Dr. Henry Haring Stover, local veterinarian, was an event of interest Saturday evening in this section.

The nuptial ceremony took place in the rectory of St. Mark's R. C. Church, Bristol, with the Rev. Father E. Paul Baird officiating. The hour was 6.30 o'clock.

The bride, a graduate of Our Lady of the Elms, Akron, O., and of Ithaca College, Ithaca, N. Y., is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas Keller, of 218 Twin Oaks Road, Akron, O. Dr. Stover is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willet Stover, of Williamsport.

Miss Berdelle Keller, sister of the bride, was her only attendant; with Mr. William Lloyd Stover serving his brother as groomsman.

For her wedding, Miss Keller selected a creation of ivory satin, trimmed in Venetian scroll. Her veil of tulle was caught with orange blossoms. Miss Berdelle Keller was gown in pink marquisette over blue taffeta.

Mrs. Keller, mother of the bride, was attired in dusty rose chiffon, and wore a corsage of matching roses. The groom's mother, Mrs. Henry W. Stover, chose a gown of poudre blue crepe, and a corsage of yellow roses and blue lace flowers.

One hundred and twenty-five guests were entertained at a reception, Saturday evening, at the Langhorne Country Club.

Dr. Stover presented his bride with pearls; and Miss Keller's gift to the groom elect was a wrist-watch. Upon their return from a two weeks' trip in the South, Dr. and Mrs. Stover will make their home on Station avenue, here. The bride's travelling costume was a poudre blue suit trimmed in blue fox; and her accessories were of white.

Dr. Stover is a graduate of George School, Newtown; Pennsylvania State College; and the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

In a Personal Way - - -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Mrs. William Coburn, Philadelphia, returned to her home after spending several days with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. David Neill, Beaver street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hankins, Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. Dries, Pond and Market streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Totin, Carteret, N. J., spent several days last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Dollar, Hayes street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Berton Carnett, Jr., and son, J. Berton, 3rd, Philadelphia, were Saturday and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Landreth, Radcliffe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Banks, Wilkes-Barre, were guests during the past week of Mr. and Mrs. George Bonham, Wilson avenue. Mrs. S. Z. Bonham returned to her home in Wilkes-Barre on Saturday after two weeks' visit at the Bonham home. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Joan Bonham, who spent the week-end there.

Mrs. Charles Jones and son Charles, Jr., Wilson avenue, are confined to their home by illness.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

At last, after eight years of sensational, record-breaking stage success, "Tobacco Road" is on the screen. Produced, directed and written by Darryl F. Zanuck, John Ford and Nunnally Johnson, respectively—the same superb trio that gave us "Grapes of Wrath"—"Tobacco Road" opens today at the Grand Theatre.

Because it was made in secret not much is known about the picturization of this much discussed stage play. Some news, however, has leaked out from behind the closed studio doors at 20th Century-Fox. This is the prediction being made for "Tobacco Road"—"Packed with dramatic dynamite it's going to prove the greatest motion picture of our time."

BRISTOL THEATRE

For all we know, those who saw Paramount's new comedy, "The Lady Eve," which opened Sunday at the Bristol Theatre, are still laughing, for they saw one of the merriest farces in many a season.

Starring Barbara Stanwyck and Henry Fonda, the new film arrival hits a new high in hilarity, under the guidance of Preston Sturges, who wrote and directed it. Going at the pace and brilliance of a pinwheel, Sturges has given us three smash comedy successes, including "The Lady Eve," in about a year.

as nurse in Newark Memorial Hospital, Newark, N. J.

A large number enjoyed the card games arranged by the Hulmeville-Middletown T. A., in the school house on Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

RITZ THEATRE

The infallible formula that "practice makes perfect" was put to good use during the preparation and filming of "The Philadelphia Story," picturization of Katharine Hepburn's New York comedy stage success, which stars her with Cary Grant and James Stewart, and which is now at the Ritz Theatre.

The play, which carried through 52 consecutive weeks, 416 performances, certainly was public-tested.

HULMEVILLE

Miss Letty Everitt, of Middletown Township, is paying a visit to Miss Ruth Leeds, in Miami, Florida. Miss Grace Everitt has accepted a position

Did Samson Feast on a Lion
With Stomach Ulcer Pains?

The Bible tells us how Samson feasted on a lion. It isn't likely that he could have done so if he suffered after-eating pains. Those who are distressed with stomach or ulcer pains, indigestion, gas pains, heartburn, burning sensation, bloating and other conditions caused by excess acid should try a 25c box of Udgas Tablets. They must help or money refunded. At United Cut Rate and drug stores everywhere.—(Advertisement)

Today's Quiet Moment

(By the Rev. James R. Gailey)
Pastor, Bristol Presbyterian Church

O God of Love, Who hast given a new commandment through Thine Only-begotten Son, that we should love one another even as Thou didst love us, the unworthy and the wandering, and givest Thy beloved Son for our life and salvation; we pray Thee, Lord, give to Thy servants, in all time of our life on earth, a mind forgetful of past ill-will, a pure conscience and sincere thoughts, and a heart to love our brethren; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.

Mrs. Harry Hughes, Bath Road, is able to be out after several weeks' illness.

Roland Vandegrift, Jackson street, has been ill for the past week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Deiker, who has been residing on Bath Road, moved last week to Otter street.



By FRANCES PECK
Heinz Home Institute

Breakfast Betterment

You are teaching your children a good health habit when you have them stopping to really enjoy their breakfasts in the morning before they start out on an active day. Doctors and nutritionists agree that nothing can prepare one better for whatever the day may bring than a good hot breakfast eaten in as leisurely a fashion as any other meal.

One of the first laws of teaching children to give breakfast the time due it is to make this meal attractive and varied. Also, be sure the children get up early enough so



they do not have to watch the clock as they eat. To help the children to attach some importance to this meal, try to serve it almost as you do the family dinner—with some formality.

It takes perseverance to stick to these rules, but it is entirely worthwhile. It is a good idea to have everyone sit down to the breakfast table at one time, but sometimes this is not possible. However, this job of making breakfast seem as important as any other meal is made easier if only one person does the jumping up for more coffee and if you serve the cereal from the kitchen and carry it in to breakfast nook or dining room already in the individual bowls.

More variety does not mean more work—just having a greater number of different fruits, juices, cereals, and breads on hand. Of course, serve waffles and pancakes and muffins frequently and alternate between the cooked and uncooked cereals. You can never have too much fruit in a breakfast menu—so serve a juice such as tomato juice to start the meal and then have the cereal with a fruit as well. The following recipe is a suggestion for combining the cereal and fruit attractively. The rice flakes retain their crispness and the variety of fruits adds a gay note to the breakfast table.

Rice Flakes and Fruit, Western Style

Four in each cereal bowl—

Rice flakes.

Arrange in center—

- 1 whole apricot, canned
- 1 plum, canned
- 1 pear half, canned.



Add juice drained from these fruits and serve at once.

Budget Helper

As every budgeting homemaker knows, it's the attractive appearance and good flavor of a dish that makes it a favorite of the family, however inexpensive it may be. The beef dumplings made with ground round steak whose recipe is given below come out of the oven a tempting golden brown. They fairly melt in your mouth when you bite into them, you have the delightful satisfaction of discovering a spicing of scarlet tomato ketchup in both meat and sauce. Serve them for budget meals both for everyday and state occasions.

Beef Dumplings with Ketchup Sauce

Brown—

- 1 pound ground round steak

in—

- 2 tablespoons shortening or bacon fat.

Add, mixing well—

- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 cup tomato ketchup
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
- 1 tablespoon flour.



Add, then cook, stirring constantly, until thickened—

- 1/4 cup water.

Roll thin—

Rich biscuit dough or pastry. Cut into 4 five-inch squares. Place an equal amount of meat mixture in center of each square, then bring edges together and pinch or press with tines of a fork. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes. Serve hot with Ketchup Butter Sauce.

Ketchup Butter Sauce

Combine equal proportions of—

Tomato ketchup

Butter.

Heat, then serve over beef dumplings. Use two tablespoons per serving.

GRAND MONDAY and TUESDAY

20c Bargain Matinee Both Days at 2.15



COMEDY

LATEST NEWS EVENTS

COMING WED.: KAY FRANCIS in "PLAY GIRL"

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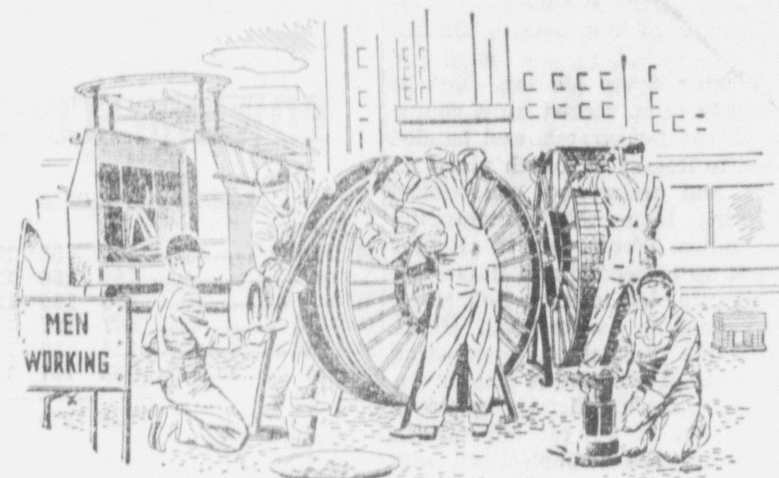
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MONTI'S FAST ANCHOR LEG LEADS BRISTOL TO MILE RELAY WIN AT CARNIVAL MEET, SATURDAY

Cardinals Vault Into Suburban Track Prominence With 3:34.4 Timing in Winning Saturday Afternoon Mile Test—Placed Second in Friday's Bux-Mont Running

By Jack Gill

A fleet Bristol High School mile relay team, composed mainly of youthful underclassmen, swept two days of running at the 47th annual Penn Relay meet Thursday and Friday by taking home eight individual medals and a man sized plaque symbolic of a heat victory.

Out of the maze of baton passing and cinder churning that annually marks Franklin Field during the latter days of April, Bristol turned in the most creditable performance the district has experienced since the halcyon days of Morrisville, when the Bulldogs, featuring Wallace, Beetle, Baehr and Johnson, span off a neat 3:31 in the Bux-Mont run.

Bristol came flying down the stretch Saturday with the first Penn Relay heat championship the school has ever garnered. Not even during the days of Neindorff and Sam Moore could the local winged footers pull through to a triumph. It was one of Gloomy Bill Dougherty's unfilled athletic dreams.

The win wasn't one of those mild surprises. It was an unexpected upset of major importance. Just two days prior to the Bux-Mont affair, annually held on Friday, Bristol had finished second to Ambler in a triangular test. The winning time here was a mediocre 3:41.

Came Friday and the Bux-Mont heat. Sellersville-Perkasie, a strong team that had the good fortune to draw the inside lane, nabbed the pole position at the start and hung on till the finish. Bristol surprised suburban track fans by pulling home second. The Dutchmen, in winning, turned in a 3:39.2. Bristol evidently did around 3:40. It was noticeable that they hadn't improved immensely from Wednesday's showing.

Yet Saturday the stage was set for the peak performance. The homesters drew the fifth lane and Bernard Genco, freshman miler, tried vainly to hit the pole in that customary mad scramble that is typical of the Relays. On the way he was spiked in the melee and blood trickled down his leg. But he ran a steady race, picked up a couple of men on the far stretch, and handed the baton to Rosser in fourth place.

Rosser and Galzerano sandwiched the winning team with outstanding quarter miles. From fourth Rosser brought it up to second and Galzerano ran a beautiful leg to stick Bob Monti into first place on the final leg. Monti, anchoring the quartet and competing against some of the fastest men in the heat, was caught unofficially by Coach Tom Campion in 50 seconds as he brought home the championship with yards to spare.

Although all of the boys ran commendable races, Monti's work, both Saturday and Friday, was particularly brilliant. The junior, who also shone on the basketball court, is one of those easy gliding picture runners. What's more, he packs plenty of fire down the backstretch.

"We improved over our clocking in the Ambler meet mostly due to our freshness," said Tom Campion. Previous to the mile relay there Genco had competed in the mile and 880. Rosser the short dashes and Monti had been high jumping all afternoon.

It was all Monti in Friday's heat. Galzerano led off and came home seventh. Rosser and Genco each brought it up a notch to sixth and fifth. Monti came all the way up to second and may have nipped his Sell-Perk rival had the race been five yards longer.

As a result, Bristol seems fairly certain to pick up some track prestige this spring. Already plans have been made to enter the locals in more meets than had originally been carded. Lower Bucks Conference supremacy may once again be wrested from Morrisville.

All other local clubs fared rather poorly in their heats. Morrisville, Bensalem and Langhorne failed to place. But Morrisville's record of 3:31, established in 1938, still stands as the best in the Bux-Mont.

Three Divorce Suits Are Filed And One Suit For Damages

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January 31, 1934, at West Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y. The present address of Mr. DePpe is 429 Castleton avenue, Brighton Heights, Staten Island, N. Y.

Howard G. Hoagland, in a libel in divorce filed here, charges his wife, Mary E. Hoagland, with desertion October 11, 1926. He alleges they were married February 26, 1904, in Trenton, N. J., by the Rev. Charles Elder, a Methodist clergyman. The present address of the libellant is Middletown township and that of the respondent is 734 South Pennsylvania avenue, Morrisville.

In the third divorce action based on desertion, Robert J. Campbell has named his wife, Dorothy E. Campbell, the respondent, charging her with desertion March 3, 1937.

According to libellant Campbell, who lives at Elkins avenue, Edgely, they were married July 16, 1932, in Philadelphia. The present address of the respondent is 327 Garfield street, Bristol.

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Admits Murder

Woodbury, N. J., Apr. 28—After six hours of questioning a 16-year-old Negro farm hand admitted today, police announced, that he bludgeoned Mrs. Anna Mocharnuk, 53, to death on her Williamstown property last Thursday.

Gloucester County Prosecutor Cotton said Glover Hayes confessed the slaying after being subjected to a lie detector test. "I don't know why I did it," Cotton quoted the youth as saying.

Fear Heavy Death Toll

LONDON, Apr. 28—A heavy death toll was feared today as the result of a brief but intense Nazi night raid on Portsmouth, British south coast seaport and naval base, where bombs caused widespread damage.

Lindbergh Quits As Colonel In U. S. Air Corps Reserve

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"But since you, in your capacity as President of the U. S. and commander in chief of the army, have clearly implied that I am no longer of use to this country as a reserve officer, and in view of other implications that you, my president and my superior officer, have made concerning my loyalty to my country, my character, and my motives I can see no honorable alternative to tendering my resignation as Colonel in the U. S. Army Air Corps Reserve."

"I am, therefore, forwarding my resignation to the Secretary of War."

"Respectfully,"

"CHARLES A. LINDBERGH."

McIntyre-Cameron Wedding Solemnized at Cornwells Hts.

ANDALUSIA, Apr. 28—Miss Helen Theresa Cameron, daughter of David Cameron, became the bride of Mr. Daniel Joseph McIntyre, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre, Cornwells Heights, at a mass in St. Charles' R. C. Church, Cornwells Heights, Saturday at nine a. m. The Rev. Father Nugent officiated.

The bride wore a gown of white lace; and her sister, Miss Mary Cameron, who served as bridesmaid, was attired in a gown of orchid tone.

Mr. William McIntyre attended his brother, as best man. The vocalist for the occasion was Miss Joan Kuney. Upon their return from a honeymoon journey, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre will reside in Cornwells Heights.

Sunday Car Crashes Injure Six Individuals

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of Mrs. Edwin Holt, 221 Otter street. The damage done to the car and porch is estimated at \$200.

In the car with Walker was Joseph Brady, 600 Bath street; Jack Walker and Miss Rose Lippincott, 562 Linden street.

Miss Lippincott sustained an injury to her face which required four stitches. Her right ankle was also sprained. Michael Walker had a cut on the upper lip which required one stitch. They were treated at the Harriman Hospital and then taken to their homes.

The group was en route to church when the accident happened. The car is owned by Francis Townsend, 580 Linden street, who is now in military

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training. The car, left in the custody of Townsend's father, was loaned to Michael E. Walker to drive to church.

Four Philadelphians riding in a large sedan were injured yesterday, when that vehicle and a large truck crashed at the intersection of the old Lincoln Highway and U. S. Route 1 at City Line.

The injured: Wallace Wyche, N. 10th street, Philadelphia, driver of the sedan, lacerations of face and legs.

Louise Parker, Maryland street, possible fracture of the skull, and multiple lacerations.

Charles Lundy, 11th street, contusions of lower jaw.

Theodore Baylor, Mervine street, fracture of a bone.

The four were taken to Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia, for treatment.

The driver of the truck, Howard Williams, West Chester, was not hurt. His truck was damaged to the amount of \$1800; while the damage to the sedan totaled \$700.

Williams was arrested by Officer Marks, of Oxford Valley sub-station, on a charge of assault and battery.

Twelve Received Into Membership of Church

NEWPORTVILLE, Apr. 28—The first communion service held since the organization of Newportville Community Church—Presbyterian, a few weeks ago, was conducted yesterday morning by the Rev. Jacob A. Long, executive secretary of the Presbytery of Philadelphia North.

The provisional session, composed of the Rev. Mr. Long, Isaac S. H. Jones, and C. Burnley White, met prior to the service.

Twelve new members were received, and their names were entered on the charter roll of the church, charter then being closed. This group brings the total on the charter to 53.

Those received as members are: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, Mrs. Alverda Shagg, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Oldham, Mrs. William Churchley, Mrs. John Wallace, Mrs. Albert Thompson, Miss Mary Jane Wimmersberger, Miss Mary Jane Given, Mrs. Allison R. Tibbetts, Mrs. Veronica Celinski.

Valerie Rae Fadeley, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fadeley, was baptized on this occasion.

The young people's choir, under direction of C. Bentley Collins, sang an anthem; and Miss Frances Mattocks favored with a vocal solo.

Miss Ruth M. Lynch Is The Bride of B. F. King

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March. Miss Carrie Rapp, Bristol, sang "Because."

The bride wore a gown of white marquisette and lace over tulle. The bodice was made of white lace with square shoulder-lines ending in short puffed sleeves. It featured a sweetheart neckline. The skirt was very long and full. Her veil was of tulle, fingertip length, and a face veil was edged with a wide band of matching lace. The headpiece was star shaped, and made of seed pearls. She wore long lace mitts, and carried an arm bouquet of white bridal roses. Her slippers were of white creolin.

For her maid of honor, the bride chose Miss Peggy McGee, who was attractively gowned in baby blue net over tulle. She carried an arm bouquet of Spring flowers. The gown featured a deep V-neck, full-cut bodice, and draped shoulders. The skirt fell in full folds to the floor. Her sleeves were elbow length. The headpiece was bonnet-shaped, and made of net. It had a shoulder-length veil in the same shade as her dress.

The bridesmaid, Miss Rosemarie Paone, wore blush pink net over tulle, which was fashioned like the gown of the maid of honor. She also carried Spring flowers.

Mr. King had for his best man his brother, Mr. William R. King; and Mr. William A. Lynch, brother of the bride, was usher.

Immediately after the ceremony a supper and reception took place at Fischer's tea room, Scudders Falls, N. J., with 50 guests being served.

The bride selected for her traveling costume a black crepe dress trimmed with white lace, black hat and bag, white gloves and black and white spectator slippers. Her corsage was of gardenias.

Mrs. Lynch, mother of the bride, wore a two-piece dress of navy blue crepe, with a white organdy collar edged in red. Her hat was of natural straw, and she wore a corsage of gardenias. The mother of the groom, Mrs. King, wore a gown of navy blue summer sheer, with white organdy collar and cuffs. Her hat was of navy blue straw, and her corsage of gardenias.

The bride is a graduate of St. Mary's high school, Rutherford, N. J., and Rider College, Trenton, N. J. She is employed in the office of Thomas L. Leedom Company, Bristol. Mr. King is a graduate of Frankford high school. They will reside in a newly-furnished apartment in West Philadelphia.

High School Juniors To Honor Seniors

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Among the committee members serving for the function are: Menu: Ruth Flum, chairman; Jeanette Leinheiser, Agnes Lentini, Emidio Cappelletti, Theron Howell and William Walters.

Entertainment: Isobel Heath, chairman; Rita Dugan, Helen Petty, Armand Capriotti, Theron Howell and William Walters.

Decorations: Ronald Vasey, chairman; James Small, Roland Stockett, Keith Rosser, Wilbur Adams, Celia Paul, Helen VanAken, Helen Dewnap, Emma Panini, Gretchen Evans, and Frances Tomlinson.

Invitation: Rita McHugh, chairman; Doris Nelson, Betty Albright, Jack DeLong, Anthony DiAngelo, and Richard Little.

Program: Irene Bernard, Hannah Hendrickson, Frances Giliardi, Marie Spitzer, Joseph Accardi, and Walter Wilson.

House committee: Richard Casmiri, Kenneth Herman, William Delia, Alfred Rogers, Anthony Mandio, Vito Marsaglia, John Fuoco, and William Reed.

Cornwells Auxiliary Has 25th Anniversary Banquet

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Apr. 28—The Ladies' Auxiliary of Cornwells Fire Company, No. 1, held its 25th anniversary banquet in St. Charles hall, Saturday evening, with 100 members, friends and members of the fire company attending.

The banquet tables were decked with boxes of pansies, enhanced by silver paper. Favors were small baskets of flowers made of red cellophane, with silver candle sticks and red candles. The menu consisted of: Fruit cocktail, chicken soup, roast turkey, mashed potatoes, sweet potatoes, peas, celery, olives, cranberries, rolls, butter, coffee, layer cakes marked "Cornwells Fire Co. 25th Anniversary," ice cream, chocolate mints, salted nuts.

Mrs. Harold H. Dettmer, president of the auxiliary, was toastmistress and

she called on the president of the fire company, Harold H. Haefner, to introduce the guests. Assemblyman Thomas B. Stockham, Morrisville, offered grace.

Addresses were made by Mr. Stockham, who was the first president of Bucks County Firemen's Association; Raymond Strunk, fire marshal of Bucks County, and James E. Groome, Ardrey, who has been president of Bucks County Firemen's Association for the past 25 years; Mrs. Emma Gehman, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of County Firemen's Association, and fire chief, Harold H. Dettmer, of Cornwells Company.

Mrs. Dorothy Fechtenburg, past president of the Auxiliary, read an interesting history of the auxiliary. It was organized on Feb. 14, 1917. One charter member, Mrs. Carrie Summerfield, was present on Saturday evening.

Past presidents were introduced, namely: Mrs. Jack Whyte, Mrs. Dorothy Fechtenburg, Mrs. Kate McElwee.

A floor show, staged by members of a dancing school from Burlington, N. J., pleased; then the gathering enjoyed dancing to the strains of a well-known orchestra.

Miss Yolondo Donofrio Is Tendered Gifts at Shower

Miss Yolonda Donofrio, Wood street, was tendered a surprise miscellaneous shower on Saturday evening in St. Ann's club house, Wood street. The affair was given by Miss Patricia Donofrio, Miss Florence Antonelli, Mrs. Frank Rossi, Bristol; and Frances DiVito, Burlington, N. J.

The room was decorated in pink and white, with an umbrella suspended from the ceiling. Streamers extended from the umbrella to the gifts beneath. Flowers were on each table. A delicious repast was followed by dancing. About 150 attended.

Howard MacCorkrel Has Guests at Evening Affair

Friends of Howard MacCorkrel, Newportville Road, gathered at his home on Saturday evening and enjoyed dancing, music and refreshments.

Those attending: the Misses Mary Lombardo, Helen Shaw, Betty Mausoni, Hazel Ghanit, Doris Wilkinson, West Bristol; and Charlotte Baker, Langhorne, Messrs. Samuel Lombardo, Robert Leigh, John McDaniel, Howard Wheatley, John Reis.

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